

SMALL GROUP LESSON PLAN



Teaching The Bible Through Practical Biblical Teaching

- **Greeting/Opening Prayer/Food & Friendship**
- **Icebreaker** ~ What's the furthest you've ran?
- **Testimonies/Good news/What are you thankful for?**
- **WOF's Purpose:**
 - 1) We teach and educate - exercising believer's rights through practical application
 - 2) We are a holistic church- development of spirit, soul, and body
 - 3) We are a mission's church - serving both domestic and international
- **Short review of what was preached at service on Sunday**
- **Facilitation of Lesson**

(Facilitator Notes)

What's Your Purpose?

There seems to be an epidemic of unhappy, unproductive and frustrated people in the world, and a major cause is because people just have not found their unique purpose. Not knowing your purpose can cause problems such as depression, a lack of contentment in your family and/or job, rebellion against authority, low self-esteem, a lack of self-appreciation and self-respect. God saw a need in the earth and He created you to meet that need. It's vital that you find your purpose not only for your wellbeing, but also because you have a divine destiny to impact the people you are called to reach.

READ: Jeremiah 1:5, Judges 13:1-5 and 24-25. As with Jeremiah and Samson, God created you to fulfill a need.

1. Has your life mission been revealed to you? If so, how? If not, what will you do to discover the need you are to fulfill in your lifetime?

READ: Romans 12:4-8, 1 Peter 4:10. Every believer has a God-given gift to do certain things well.

2. What comes natural to you? What are some things you do with ease, without thinking much about it?

READ: James 1:5-6, Matthew 7:11.

3. What are the factors necessary in order to receive what you want from God?

READ: Romans 8:16, Romans 9:1. God can speak to you by the inward voice.

4. Have you ever said or heard others say, "Something told me"? Share the outcome of you following or not following that inward voice.

- **Time of Decision** (Everyone Bow Your Heads)

1) Receive Jesus as your Lord and Savior: *Some may have never received Jesus. *You may be a good person, give to the poor, and serve in the community. *Has there been a day where you confessed Jesus and Lord?

(Read Romans 10:9) If need to make this decision, raise your hand:

What to do next: Have them repeat after you: "I believe that Jesus is the son of God. I believe he died for me bearing my sins for me. I believe he rose from the dead and is alive right now. Dear Lord Jesus, come into my life now! Come into my heart now! I believe in my heart, and say with my mouth that Jesus Christ is my personal Lord as Savior. And I am, right now, born again."

2) Rededicate your life: *Is your life a mess? *Are you struggling right now? *You know something is just off in life? **{Read 1 John 1:9}** If you want to be restored with God, raise your hand:

What to do next: Lead the person in the following prayer, allowing them to repent before God for the area they have sinned: "Father, I come before you in the Name of Jesus asking for forgiveness ... (allow the person to personally speak to God about the specific thing they are repenting for). After they are finished, close out the prayer with them, thanking God for forgiveness and restoration."

- **Time of Prayer**
- **Your Circle: (Family, Friends and those you have influence with) How's it going?**
- **Announcements-Next WOF service and any additional announcements**
- **Dismissal**

Prayer focus: 1) Your Circle (friends and family) 2) Small Group members 3) Word of Faith Leadership

Have you reached out to your circle today?